

WASHINGTON.

SEN. GRANT ENDORSES LOGAN FOR PRESIDENT.

Characterizing him as possessing all the most desirable characteristics of the citizen-soldier—United States Marshal in the South getting big fees by summoning the falling population of the States as witnesses—A convict as Deputy United States Marshal—Postal Recommendations.

[Special Telegram to the Globe.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Among the latest curiosities of official conduct on the part of United States marshals, and their deputies, which have been brought to light by the Springer committee, are the summoning of the entire voting population of counties to testify in relation to frauds in the south. This occurred in one county in Alabama, and two in Texas, and the number of witnesses in these cases ranged from 1,700 to 2,000, when, according to special agents of the government, ten witnesses would have been sufficient. It was a method of earning fees.

SWINDLING COMPROMISES.

In Texas, a district attorney named Guthridge, compromised a claim of the government of \$50,000 for \$5,000, although the government held a judgment on realty that would have fully covered the claim. The defendants only had to pay the attorney \$500 for this favor. He has been dismissed from office.

The Springer committee has called for papers in the cases of Ottman and Lewis for the purpose of throwing some light upon them. Ottman was tried twice for robbing the treasury of a package containing \$40,000, but escaped by favor of Washington juries and the mysterious influence that surrounded the trials here. Finally, the case was compromised for a pittance and the swag divided between the thieves and attorneys. The committee want to know the details of the matter.

A New Jersey crank named Lewis bequeathed \$1,500,000 to the government home years ago. Claims of false heirs were set up and it cost the government \$400,000 to get the money. Detectives filed a bill in the case amounting to \$37,000, but a part of this was disallowed. There are so many cases of crookedness in connection with the law department of the government that the investigation committee cannot complete its work for months, although its sessions are held almost daily.

GEN. GRANT ON LOGAN.

The capital claims to have conversed with Gen. Grant in his sick room on politics, and says: "The ex-president considered Gen. John A. Logan as the most available candidate of all those named, and one whom he would not only support himself, but a candidate whom he would ask all his friends to support. He remarked that he had known Logan from the beginning of the war, and he could testify that he possessed the ability, courage, obedience and endurance of the citizen-soldier of our great country to an eminent degree, and the most distinguished in his brilliant array. In public affairs, he said, Logan had courage of his convictions. He asserts the integrity of his own character even in his own political matters, and that could not always be said of men in political life and in private life, he added, there is not a man to my knowledge who stands out so notably as a type of honesty of purpose simplicity of life and virtue.

The general further observed that there were others also who would fill the office with great ability, men like Edmunds, of Vermont. But his idea seemed to be that Logan was more a man of the people. It was evident that there were those whom the ex-president thinks it would be suicidal to nominate, and who, in fact, would not receive his support. He did not wish to be specific, but would only say it might be wiser in making the nominations to regard the harmony of the party.

POSSIBLE INJUSTICE DONE DOUGLASS.

The statements that have come from the department of justice seem to have done an injustice to ex-Marshall R. M. Douglass, of North Carolina. Douglass was investigated some time ago by two special agents, Bowman, representing the department of justice, and Farney representing the treasury. Bowman testified upon the Springer committee yesterday that during the whole time that Farney was nominally attending to the investigation he was so drunk as to be absolutely incapable of asking a question or understanding an answer, and that when Bowman returned home he reported the facts and refused to join with Farney in a report, but made one of his own. Bowman testified that instead of withdrawing his books, Douglass offered every facility for making his investigation and when Douglass was informed that his deputies were making charges that the department would not allow, he made them point out these items and with his own hand drew a line of erasure across them, but there left untouched a good many fraudulent items which Douglass knew about and Bowman thought he ought to have made his deputies verify every item after he found what they were doing. Since then from disputes with the department of justice has occurred and Douglass refused to furnish certain books, which he claimed were his private account books, but he states that he furnished all his official account books and, furthermore, that he sent his accounts up here to be settled and they are stopped in the treasury department. They are in the hands of Farney, above mentioned, who will not admit them out of spite. Douglass says that while he was marshal, he was taking two convicts to the penitentiary when one of them, a notorious desperado, escaped and he never succeeded in capturing him, but his successor, Tom Kough, late secretary of the Republican national convention was now successful. He caught this fugitive from justice and made him one of his deputies, and so retains him. He performs all the duties of a deputy marshal, except that a feeling of delicacy deterred him from going into the court room of the judge who pronounced on him the sentence he had never undergone. Mr. Douglass says there are 60,000 white Republicans in North Carolina, to say nothing of the colored ones; and, but for such scandals as this, and divisions in the party the Republicans might hold the state easily.

DELATED WESTERN MAIL.

Twenty thousand pounds of mail matter from Chicago and the west arrived in this city this evening. This includes letter and papers covering dates of the 6th, 7th and 8th. The latest Chicago papers received here up to noon to day were those of last Sunday. Yesterday morning's mail will probably arrive at a late hour to-night. A letter which Congressman Dunham mailed to his wife from Chicago on the 5th just was handed to Mrs. Dunham this evening, several hours after her husband's return.

CHIME.

A SON MURDERS HIS FATHER. UNIONTOWN, Pa., Feb. 10.—Last night at North Uniontown ship, three miles east, was the scene of a brutal murder, the victim being an old man sixty years of age named Alpheus Wilson, and the murderer his son Frank. The two had been drinking together and had a quarrel, which ended in the father ordering Frank to leave home. The latter complied, but in ten minutes returned and called his father outside. The old man started for the door, but before he could reach it, Frank drew a revolver and shot him dead. The paricide then went to the house of Dennis Springer, a short distance away, where he remained all day, threatening to kill anyone who attempted to arrest him. This evening Sheriff Sterling and two constables went to Springer's, and after some little trouble captured him, but not before he attempted to shoot the officers. On his way to the jail he passed his father's house. His mother came out to see him, and he told her that he intended killing the old man, and was accented when the deed was done but it made no difference.

REVOLT IN CRETE.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 10.—A revolt has broken out in Crete, in consequence of a Turkish attack on the privileges of the Greek patriarch. The leading Cretans declare they cannot obtain redress, and have therefore taken to arms. The Porte sent orders to the authorities at Smyrna and Salonica, to dispatch to Crete all the available soldiers, to the number, at least, of 5,000. The Porte is sending troops to El Hekla, Arava, where emissaries of Elmahdi are fomenting disturbances.

TROUBLE ON THE BORDER.

A Band of Mexicans Expected to Cross the Rio Grande into Texas After Two Murders, but Met with a Warm Reception. SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 10.—Trouble is apprehended at Eagle Pass, and the authorities have been notified to be on their guard. The land. Enough is known to warrant the assertion that the sheriff of Maverick county anticipates a raid from the Mexican side of the Rio Grande and is anxious for reinforcements. Capt. Shively, of the Texas rangers, has been telephoned for with his troops at his disposal. United States Marshal Gosling is also wired for armed assistance. The raid is doubtless for the capture of two suspected criminals held at Eagle Pass, whom the American extradition agent refuses to surrender, in view of the recent ruling of the secretary of state, in the case of the trouble with the alleged train robbers. The prisoners being held are accused by the Mexican authorities of murdering Manuel Rodriguez, at Sonagosa, Mexico, on the 7th inst. The deceased was shot early in the morning, five buckshot taking effect in his head and the upper part of his body, dying in ten minutes in great agony. The murderers were trailed to Piedra Negra, Texas, where they crossed into Texas. Rodriguez was a prominent merchant and an influential citizen, and he was determined to bring the assassins to justice by force of arms if necessary. Marshal Gosling leaves San Antonio with a posse by the first train for Eagle Pass, where the invaders will be received with ball and buckshot, should an attempt be made to cross the river with an armed force, or to capture the prisoners in the hands of the Mexican authorities. A correspondent of the Galveston News accompanies the relief force.

HARD LIVES.

LAREDO, N. M., Feb. 10.—The locomotive engineers of the Mexican National railway, between Laredo and Saltillo, Mexico, have organized as a body and will this week present to the company their resignation en masse unless some protection is guaranteed them against arrest, and indefinite imprisonment in Mexico, when in discharge of their duty they imperiously run over and kill a Mexican who carelessly gets upon the track. The determination is brought about by the case of the unfortunate Engineer Gardner, who several weeks ago, ran over and killed a Mexican walking across one of the railroad bridges, near Saltillo, and who has ever since been incarcerated in the jail at Saltillo. The engineers say they are required to run on schedule time, and it often happens that it is not in the power of the railroad appliances to stop in time to prevent running over a man who gets on the track immediately in front of the locomotive.

RECEPTION TO ARCHBISHOP RYAN.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 10.—Quite an elaborate reception was given Archbishop Ryan by the clergy and laity of the Catholic church this afternoon, at the academy of the Christian Brothers, five miles from the city, in honor of his return from Rome, where he attended the recent council of American bishops. About 200 persons were present. Brother Virgil, president of the academy, on behalf of the clergy, and Father Plouffe, on behalf of the laity, delivered the opening speeches, to which Archbishop Ryan replied, giving a hasty sketch of his visit to Rome, after which a banquet was served.

PHILIPPS MEMORIAL SERVICE.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 10.—The Wendell Phillips memorial service was held this evening in Spring Garden Unitarian church. Remarks were made by Robert M. Purvis, Miss Mary Green and Edward Everett, who cooperated with Phillips in the anti-slavery movement.

UNCALLED FOR SYN-PATHY.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The International Working People's association to-day commended the assassination of Detectives Bloch and Kluebeck, in Vienna, and expressed sympathy with Stallmader under arrest for their murder.

CARES OF LIFE.

As we know, when they are received, borne with and passed over with more than thought, if we are in the enjoyment of health, but if suffering with piles or skin diseases of any kind they magnify a hundred fold. A. R. Wilkes, B. K. Zimmerman, and E. Stierle, the druggists, have Dr. Ross's Pile Remedy, an absolute cure. Sold at 50 cents.

LATE MINNEAPOLIS NEWS.

LAND LEAGUE MEETING.

Interesting Meeting of Irish Citizens and Spiritual Addresses.

The Hon. Ed. McDermott succeeded in getting up an attractive programme for last evening's meeting of the Irish National League. After piano playing by Mr. Wall, Judge J. B. Quinn delivered a fine address on the Irish question, in which he dwelt on the futile efforts of Ireland to break her chain through revolutionary uprisings. He reviewed the insurrection of 1798 and other spasmodic efforts, made by men who believed in physical force to achieve the independence of Ireland, and pronounced them abortive failures. The land league agitation had effected the union of Irishmen throughout the globe, and especially in Ireland. The cry that the Irish people are incompetent to govern themselves, is no longer believed, as it was previous to the immigration of the league. Thoughtful British statesmen are now declaring that Ireland is able and entitled to govern itself. The league has proved a great educational force, and he was confident before the present agitation ceases Ireland will obtain absolute independence. Nothing short of complete liberty will satisfy the Irish people. Mr. Roberts recited the well known poem, "Fionnuala," and was succeeded by P. H. Gibbons, who gave the "Irish Lads' dues." Messrs. Conly and Shadrick spoke on "Manhood Suffrage in Great Britain," and held diverse views on the subject. The chairman, Mr. McFarland brought the exercises to a close by delivering a spirited address on the present aspect of the Irish question in parliament.

THE MARGUIS TSENG.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—Tseng, the Chinese ambassador, denies that he is going to Paris to resume negotiations with the French government on the Tonquin question. The last advice from Peking instructed him to remain in England until further orders.

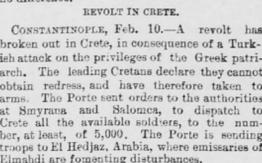
REFUSED TO ALLOW THEM TO LAND.

CAIRO, Feb. 10.—Admiral Hewitt has refused to allow the French and Italian gunboats at Suakin to land men to protect the French and Italian subjects respectively. The Turkish squadron in the Persian Gulf will shortly be ordered to the aid of the British. The British consul at Suakin, Mr. Gurney, has been ordered to the aid of the British consul at Medina. The weather was cold on the roads yesterday, ranging from 15 to 20 below all over this region and farther west.

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Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes From premiums received, From interest and dividends, From rents and all other sources.

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Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes Losses paid, Dividends, Commissions and brokerage, Salaries of officers and employees, Taxes, All other expenditures.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Total risks in force Dec. 31, '83, \$31,331,300.00

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Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes Risks written, Premiums received, Losses paid, Losses incurred.

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